

Highland Jaycees College Scholarship

Essay Topic

One of the primary goals of the Jaycees is to facilitate the development of members' leadership skills. This includes encouraging members to take calculated risks and to be innovative in trying new ideas. Write an essay describing a time when you took a risk. Describe the outcome. Was it the desired outcome? Why or why not? What did you learn from the experience? How has this experience shaped you and prepared you for your future endeavors? Support your position with facts, examples, and thoughtful analysis.



Essay Rules

1. Essay length must be a minimum of 500 words.
2. Essay must be typed.
3. Do ***NOT*** put your name anywhere on or in the essay. Your essay will be assigned a number to ensure a fair evaluation.
4. Essays will be judged based on content, grammar, and organizational clarity.
5. Essays must be returned to HHS Guidance Counselor's Office by **March 30, 2009**.
6. Please staple this entry form to your essay.

The scholarship winner will receive a check written to both him/her and the school of his/her choice. If the winner has not yet chosen a school at the time of award, the Highland Jaycees will hold the money until a decision is reached. It will then be the winner's responsibility to contact the Jaycees with the necessary information. The winner will be invited to attend a Jaycee meeting. The Highland Jaycees reserve the right to split the scholarship between two equal applicants.

Name: _____ College: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

For Scholarship Committee Use Only

ID #

Score:

Place: